Lane on Jerry Williams Show, WMCA, NYC, 3/24/77, supposedly on Lifton-Jeff Cohen article in New Times, with them, Robert Sam Anson and Jerry Ray.

While this shed nos light on the King assassination and none of the participants reflected any knowledge of it or any real investigation of it, Lane succeeded in monopolizing much of it and keeping it off the alleged subject, that article. In this neither truth nor fact impeded him.

Early he claimed that his CCI was established to get Congress to investigate the King assassination. The fact is it was not and the reason he was not is because he would not getinto the King assassination.

He says he is Jerry's lawyer for purposes of suing over the article and if he does not say he is Jimmy's he implies it strongly.

Says he "urged" Jimmy to testify before the House committee and that he arranged for it.

"One of the main problems was thatRay was represented by" Lesar " who had done everything in his power to keep Ray from ever being heard publicly." Claims Lesar did not represent Ray well "because he has 99 years." & over not talking to the committee.

"No one has ever heard Ray's story."

In saying that he had not heard from Jimmy for 3 1/2 months prior to the King assassination Jerry here says that Jimmy phoned him from a bar in not Arizona but Texas.

At the end of the first side Lane says the case against Ray is falling apart from what he has already represented as his work.

Toward the end Lane is self-trapped by boasting that he knows what the House committee thinks about the Lifton/Cohen New Times piece. (Lifton has already spoken of the time he spent withthe committee). Lifton prods Lane who then lays it out, how he is in touch with the committee on "almost a daily basis, and they've come to me for a great deal of material on" the King assassination.

He also says the book"is based on our investigation, Dick Gregory's and mine."

Lane on WBAI-Lynn Samuels, 5/18/77

At about 30 or just before it on side one Lane talks about Lonnie Hudkins, not mentioed by name, and about Lardner as part of "cabal" to destroy the House committee. Burnham same sense. about 40, reporters "acted in concert" in interest of or at behest of intelligence agencies..

50:Murtagh had two of his own informers inside Atlanta HQ of SCLC.

57 FBI'd "withdrawn all surveillance moments before Dr. King was murdered." King had FBI and Hoover in mind in his "mountaintop" speech. (60)

Lane calims he has done "much" of what he calls"investigative" work in King assassination.

King did not cpme out against VN war until 4/4/67, noting this is exactly year before assassination. Actually it was years earlier.

On side 2 he sayd he "never speculated about anything in the Kennedy case. " Stutters some in repetition of this biggest of lies. He then goes on to say with king he does and thisleads Hoover and the FBI as "prime suspects" in the killing.

Holloman personally "stripped away the black witnesses." Thisis false as it relates to Holloman, false as it relates to witnessés and false as it relates to black witnesses and false as it relates to balcks then inside the firehouse. (Holloman was in court-Tines and Arkin, inspector and lieutenant of police.)

Next he says that Ramsey Clark personally ordered the investigation by the FBI, which is false; that this was not until Clark looked out his window and saw Washington burning, which is false; that this was the only investigation by the US Government except for the House committee, which can be argued as false; and that the "get King" squad in Atlanta was in charge of that investigation, which is grossly, stupidly false.

Ray has identified one of"tramps"as Raoul.Says pictures from either FBI or Huie, although he has quoted Foreman. Foreman's deposition is that he got them from LIFE.

Says original drawing was made in Memphis and looks remarkably like photo. Does not give prior publication or actuality of that sketch, which was not in Memphis or from Gracie Stephens' alleged description of man she saw leaving, as he says.

Grasie is said by FBI to have been in bed then.
Side 2 ends just after 20.

Lane-Huie on Stanley Siegsl Show 5/9/77:(cassette says ABCTC but it is WOR-TV)

Lane: King "had reservations at the Holiday Inn, the Rivermont," but/~~this/fbi~~/ Hoover's stories drove him from there.

3/28 violence "by an agent provocateur of the FBI." (20)

20+ the only time King was not bugged by the FBI was just before he was killed.

Holloman personally withdrew Reddit "moments" before the assassination.

40+ claims to have been the sourceof the fact that had the House committee established and its source since then, evasively. Explains as though it were all original and unpublished while not stating this that he went to Memphis in August of 1976 with Abby Mann. Claim to what he did then was speak to Redditt, Newsum and Wallace and then Murtagh.

Repeats there was no government investigation until after tye cities were aflame, here saying 60 of them, and that Atlanta was put in charge of investigation and it out the "get King squad" in charge. Murtagh was its relief supervisor. Repeats "to this day" there was no other government investigation except that under the squad assigned to destroy him. 50-

Huie here gives a different account of his financial loses over this, $40,000, which just equals what he says he paid "ray" and his lawyers; He also said he was bringing out his "updated" He Slew the Dreamer" retitled "Did the FBI Kill MartinLuther King Jr?" Gives his deal as nothing closer than 4 days of the crime prior to the trial.

Lane says Ray "never got an uninterrupted night's sleep" in the Memphis jail.

It is interesting that Lane has obtained records that are available because of Lesar's work and mine, which he spnds time condemning, without indicating their source, how they became available. With my prior publication of all he claimed above as his work plus the great amount Les Payne added to it after I gave him the leads and names, this reduces what Lane has done that is original to his fabrications.

Toward the end, after Huie says that Akers had been to see him, Lane against represents that he has inside information on what the House committee is doing and has in mind, to what it believes.